WHEREAS, The widespread use of alcohol, other narcotics and tobacco is increasing highway accidents, broken homes, and loss of life; and,

WHEREAS, Information is greatly needed to educate our youth and our community on the effects of all drugs; and,

WHEREAS, The youth of our community can add much to the welfare of the community if their minds are unclouded by these false social crutches; and,

WHEREAS, The Youth Temperance Council of South Dakota is concerned with promoting a drug free way of life:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 22-28, 1973, as

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in South Dakota, and urge all civic, educational, religious, social, and other organizations to make a substantial contribution to the development of high moral, spiritual, and social standards by the use of temperance education for our youth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota in Pierre, the Capital City, this 20th day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-three.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Lorna B. Herseth

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE